

REMARKS

Claims 1-4, 6, and 8-21 were presented for examination.

Claims 1-4, 6, 8-14, 20 and 21 were indicated as being allowable.

Claims 15-19 were rejected under a combination of three references.

With this amendment, Applicant has canceled claims 15-19, which claims will be 15-19 presented a continuation application. Therefore, only allowed claims 1-4, 6,8-14, 20 and 21 remain in the case.

CONCLUSION

Because all rejected claims have been canceled, only the allowed claims remain in the case, and all formalities have been complied with by applicant, this application is in condition for a Notice of Allowance. Therefore, a Notice of Allowance is earnestly requested.

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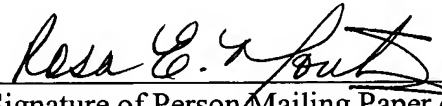
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